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"this is not permitted and if it happens again we'll have to ask you to leave". Then we'd remove him if he didn't. But I would like to recommend that as a policy.

PRESIDENT: I may have acted hastily, Senator Swigart. I made a decision and I stick with it. Senator Nichol.

SENATOR NICHOL: Mr. President, members of the Legislature. Since we have some time and nothing before the house I ... I thought that perhaps we could debate this issue.

PRESIDENT: Senator Koch.

SENATOR KOCH: Mr. Speaker, point of order. Are we on Final Reading?

PRESIDENT: We are on Final Reading.

SENATOR KOCH: Then why are we wasting time. Let's get it read.

PRESIDENT: Proceed.

CLERK: Mr. President, your Enrolling Clerk respectfully reports that she has on this day at 5:45 p.m. presented to the Governor for his approval the following bills: LB 74, 74A, and 142.

Read title to LB 328.

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SENATOR KOCH: Question of the Speaker.

SPEAKER: Proceed, go ahead.

SENATOR KOCH: Which bill are we passing over?

SPEAKER: LB 344. It's the Voc. Tech. Bill.

CLERK: Read title to LB 380.

PRESIDENT: Speaker Burbach.

SPEAKER: Mr. President, member of the Legislature. I realise that the hour is late, and ... for starting the resolutions and so forth, but if we will stay here until those bills are back from the drafter, I say we should be at ease but please remain so that we have a quorum so that we can do business. We can complete this during the next few moments. I'll check with the Bill Drafter again to see if they can be brought up here and how soon they can be brought. I'd say let's be at ease until I have another report for you.

PRESIDENT: Senator Keyes, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR KEYES: Just a question of the Speaker. All that it takes to advance these bills from E & R to Final Reading is a voice vote by one might get by?